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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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REQUEST FOR REFUND UNDER 37 CFR 1.26

Sir:

Applicants herewith submit this request for refund in the amount of \$540.00 paid in error on June 16, 2008 in the above-referenced application.

Applicants intended to file a new continuation application claiming priority to the above-referenced application. Instead of filing a new continuation application, the undersigned's administrative assistant, through error and without deceptive intent, filed on June 16, 2008, the \$540.00 fee and documents for a continuation application in the instant application.

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The \$540.00 fee paid on June 16, 2008 is itemized as follows:

(i) Utility Application filing fee	\$75.00
(ii) Utility Application Search fee	\$255.00
(iii) Utility Application Exam Fee	\$105.00
(iv) One Extra Independent Claim Fee	<u>\$105.00</u>
	\$540.00

Accordingly, please refund \$540.00 to deposit account number 13-1958 paid in error on June 16, 2008 in the instant application.

If the office has any questions regarding this request for refund, the office is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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Title of Invention:

ROBUST CARBON MONOLITH HAVING HIERARCHICAL POROSITY

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Utility Filing Fees

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Basic Filing:				
Utility Search Fee	2111	1	255	255
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Claims:

Claims in excess of 20	2202	1	25	25
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Patent Appeals and Interference:				
Post-Allowance and Post-Issuance:				
Extension of Time:				
Miscellaneous:				
Total in USD (\$)				540